

Theme Project

Preliminary Chapter Theme Project

Pronóstico del tiempo

Overview:

You will write a television script and create maps for a weather forecast for four locations in the Western Hemisphere. Then you will videotape your forecast for the class to view.

Materials:

Poster board, markers, video camera, videocassette

Sequence:

- STEP 1. Review the instructions with your teacher.
- STEP 2. Write a rough draft of your weather forecast. Exchange scripts with a partner for peer-editing. Make corrections based on your partner's comments.
- STEP 3. Create one or more maps for your forecast on poster board. After completing your map(s), add drawings or symbols that indicate the weather in each city you plan to talk about and the temperature there.
- STEP 4. Rehearse your forecast with a partner. Provide your partner with feedback regarding the content, accuracy, and presentation of the forecast.
- STEP 5. Videotape your weather forecast. Show your videotape to the class.

Assessment:

Your teacher will use the rubric on the following page to assess this project.